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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action of October 17, 2005, and includes the following sections:

1. Introductory Comments, beginning on page 2,
2. Amendments and Listing of Claims, beginning on page 3 and
3. Remarks/Arguments, beginning on page 8.

No fee is believed necessary for this Amendment. However, should any fee be required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0029 and is requested to notify us of the same.

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### **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed on December 17, 2005, in which claims 1-26 were pending. Claims 4-7, 14-21 and 23-26 were previously withdrawn from consideration. Remaining claims 1-3, 8-13 and 22 were rejected.

By this response, claims 1, 11 and 22 are amended. Claims 1-3, 8-13 and 22 are presented for reconsideration and allowance.